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To: Interested Parties

From: Sam Waldrep, Bureau Chief
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Re: Public Meeting on Pending Actions to Medicaid Home and Community-Based
Waivers

You are invited to a public meeting to provide comments specific to pending actions proposed for Medicaid home and community-based waivers under the administrative authority of the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 5, 2011 from 10 a.m.–12 p.m. in the lower level conference room at Two Medical Park in Columbia, on the campus of Palmetto Richland Hospital.

These actions include:

- 1- Renewal of the Community Long Term Care (CLTC) elderly/disabled and HIV/AIDS waivers. These waivers target individuals who want to live at home, need assistance with their care and are eligible for Medicaid.
- 2- Planned reductions and elimination of services to CLTC waivers effective April 1, 2011.
- 3- A proposal to no longer exempt all adult waiver recipients from co-payments on Medicaid state plan services effective April 1, 2011. This includes both the CLTC waivers and those operated by the South Carolina Department of Disabilities and Special Needs.

By December 22, information concerning these three topics and directions to the meeting location will be posted on the SCDHHS website, www.scdhhs.gov, under the link to this public meeting notice. The two draft waiver documents that will be on the website are subject to further editing prior to this meeting.

If you are unable to attend this session, you may send written comments by January 7th. You may email your comments to waldrep@scdhhs.gov or fax them to 803-255-8209.